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## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

**LONDON.**—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Old Broad Street, E.C. 4. GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. 4. HENRY & CO., 37, Wallbrook, E.C. 4. SAMPSON, LONDON & CO., 150 & 151, Leadenhall Street, W. M. WILKS, 151, Cannon Street, E.C. 4. ROBERT WATSON, 150, Fleet Street.

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## Banks.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL £2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL £250,000.

**LONDON.**—Head Office, 40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office, 23, Cockspur Street.

**BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.**

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, August 19, 1891. 1362

## Intimations.

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the Batteries at Stonecutters Island, from the 7th Proximo till the 10th of the Month, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. DAILY, SATURDAYS and SUNDAYS excepted.

The Line of Fire will be in Western and South-Western directions from the Batteries.

All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the Ranges.

By Command, W. M. GOODMAN, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 31st December, 1891. 9

## HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

**FINAL CALL ON NEW ISSUE SHARES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors of the HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED, have resolved to make a FINAL CALL of £2 10/- per Share upon the NEW ISSUE SHARES (upon which the amount of £7 10/- is at present paid). This CALL will become PAYABLE in Hongkong on or before MONDAY, the 8th day of February, 1892, after which date unpaid CALLS will be liable to INTEREST at the rate of 6% per Annum.

By Order, F. W. CROSS, Manager.

Hongkong, January 6, 1892. 31

## A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

**TO AERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS AND OTHERS.**

NOTICE is hereby given that ALL AERATED WATER BOTTLES and SYRONS bearing the COMPANY'S NAME and TRADE MARK as its property solely, and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person or Persons other than the Customers of the firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against at the law courts.

A. H. MANCILL, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 13, 1891. 1613

## NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

**REDUCTION IN PRICE!**

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## WATERBURY WATCHES

(Most Reliable and Accurate Timekeepers)

**E SERIES**

IS NOW OFFERED FOR

**2 DOLLARS 50 CENTS each.**

GENTLEMEN'S J SERIES @ \$4.75 EACH.

LADIES' I SERIES @ \$4.75 EACH.

Inspection is respectfully invited.

MITSUBISHI KAISHA, 8, Queen's Road, Central.

Hongkong, December 11, 1891. 2301

## E. Kressmann, Bordeaux.

THE Undersigned hold STOCK of this Firm's well-known BRANDS of

**CLARETS:**

Per Case of 12 Bottles

St. Julien ..... \$ 6.25 7.00

Margaux Medoc ..... 5.00

Chateau Lafite ..... 11.75 12.75

St. Estephe 1883 ..... 12.50

Chateau Lafite, Medoc 1880 ..... 12.50

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## Business Notices.

### LANE CRAWFORD & CO.

**For Sale.**

### SADDLERY.

BUCKSKIN RACE SADDLES. HACK SADDLES.

SADDLE CLOTHS, WEIGHT CLOTHS, PONY CLOTHING.

JOCKEY WHIPS, DRIVING WHIPS.

SHAFLE BRIDLES, RACING REINS, DRIVING REINS.

PONY HARNESS.

SURCINGLES, GIRTHS, ROLLERS, STIRRUP LEATHERS.

SHARP WEBS, HEADSTALLS, CRUPPERS, MARTINGALES.

HALTERS, HUNTING ODDS, FLOCKBOOTS.

SILVER-PLATED RACING SPOOLS.

STABLE BRUSHES and REQUISITES of ALL KINDS.

RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS, BOT TOPS, BOOT-TOP LIQUID.

SADDLE SOAP, BRUSH LEATHER DRESSING.

Orders for Riding Breeches and Racing Colours should be sent in AT ONCE.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO. 17

Hongkong, January 4, 1892.

### ROBERT LANG & CO.'S DRESS SUIT.

NEWEST MATERIALS, from \$30.00, Silk-lined.

A VERY LARGE SELECTION OF SCOTCH TWEED, AND OTHER SUITINGS.

EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, Latest Style.

Do. TIES and CLOVES.

Do. HOSE SILK, THREAD and MERINO.

Do. SHOES and PUMPS.

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### WILKINSON'S

ESSENCE OF FLUID EXTRACT OF

### RED JAMAICA Sarsaparilla.

Is the only Preparation recognized by the Faculty as a wonderful

PURIFIER OF THE HUMAN BLOOD.

Sufferers from the effects of TROPICAL LIVER, DEBILITY, ATTENUATION OF BODY, Eruptions, LASHES, &c., will, by taking this Essence, soon find relief, and ultimately a cure.

A LITTLE TAKEN DAILY IS THE BEST PREVENTIVE OF ILLNESS.

Superiority of WILKINSON'S Sarsaparilla.

'We cannot speak too highly of it.'—LANCET.

'We recommend your Red Jamaica Sarsaparilla.'—MEDICAL REVIEW.

'The only preparation for removing what may be called the sequelae of a mercurial course.'—SIR E. MARSH.

'I am never without it when feeling depressed or out of spirits, from anxiety and fatigue, a dose or two restores me.'—THE LATE LORD OLYVE.

'Your Essence of Red Jamaica Sarsaparilla cured me of a Tropical Liver when all other remedies failed.'—EARL OF ALBENBOROUGH.

CAUTION.—Beware of worthless and injurious articles offered to the Public. Insist on having WILKINSON'S Essence of Red Jamaica Sarsaparilla, note the Trade Mark, and refuse all others.

PREPARED ONLY BY THOMAS WILKINSON, LONDON, W. Sold in Small, Medium, and Large Bottles. HONGKONG: DAKIN BROTHERS, A. WATSON & Co. and all the leading firms at home and abroad.

### THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

**TARIFF.**

Board & Lodging per day (1 person) ..... \$ 6.00

do. do. for married couples (occupying 1 room) ..... 7.50

Board & Lodging per day (1 person) ..... 90.00

do. do. for married couples (occupying 1 room) ..... 135.00

Extra Bedroom per month ..... 45.00

Sitting Room per month ..... 50.00

Special Tariff for a week and from Saturday to Monday.

TEAM TRUCKS applied to Visitors at reduced rates.

For further Particulars, apply to 1833 The Secretary, 33 & 40, QUEEN'S CENTRAL. The Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN.

### W. POWELL & Co.

**HOUSEHOLD IRONMONGERY.**

COOKING STOVES—HEAT-0 STOVES—FIRE GRATES—FENDERS—FIRE IRONS—FIRE IRON RESTS—BRASS BEDSTEPS—IRON BEDSTEPS—COMPOSITE BEDSTEPS—SPRING MATTRESSES—WIRE-WOVEN MATTRESSES—COOKING UTENSILS—SAFES—LAMPS—LAMP SUN-DRIES—SEWING MACHINES, &c., &c.

**ALL NEW GOODS.**

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 23, 1891. 201

### Intimations.

**PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1165.**

AN Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FARMERS' HALL, 40, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th Instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, January 4, 1892. 30

### THE LARUE PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Hongkong Hotel, on SATURDAY, the 16th Proximo, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of considering the financial position of the Company. SHAREHOLDERS are particularly requested to attend or to send proxies.

Hongkong, December 30, 1891. 2403

### CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.

Optician, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

**NATURAL SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.**

VORTEXMETER'S CALIBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

RICHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

ADMIRALTY & MARINE CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware.

Warranted & Co. Warranted & Co. Warranted & Co.

DIAMONDS

DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices. 742

## Notices of Firms.

### S HARP & Co. ARCHITECTS AND SURVEYORS.

TELEGRAPH HOUSE, HONGKONG.

1st January, 1892. 1

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has This Day established himself as AUCTIONEER and GOODS BROKER.

GEOR. P. LAMBERT.

Hongkong, December 7, 1891. 2276

### NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

BY Order of the Board of Directors, I have TAKEN OVER the CHIEF MANAGEMENT of the BANK.

GEOR. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 23, 1891. 2398

### NOTICE.

MY SON HENRY HUMPHREYS was admitted into PARTNERSHIP with me on the 1st day of July last.

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS.

Hongkong, December 12, 1891.

### NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on under the name of JNO. D. HUMPHREYS will henceforth be conducted under the name of JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

Hongkong, December 12, 1891. 2316

### Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Nippon, Captain THOMSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the 8th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 8th Inst. at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 2, 1892. 5

### STEAMSHIP SYDNEY.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, ex Steamship Laboulaye, and from Bordeaux, ex St. Maurice, Nantes, and Bordeaux, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 10 a.m. To-morrow (Friday), the 1st Proximo, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Friday, the 8th January, 1892, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and to be landed here.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Friday, the 8th January, 1892, or they will not be recognized. All Damaged Packages will be examined on FRIDAY, the 8th January, 1892, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, December 31, 1891. 2413

### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Wingan, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 8th Instant will be landed at Consignee's risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 4, 1892. 16

### SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. CARDIGANSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, MIDDLESBORO, ANTWERP, LONDON & STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-morrow.

No Claims will be admitted after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th Inst., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th Inst. at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 5, 1892. 24

## Auctions.

### NOTICE.

THREE will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at SWATOW, on

**MONDAY,**

the 11th January, at Noon,—

(For behoof of the Concerned),</











